

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

**This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:**

**LISTING OF CLAIMS:**

1. (original): A process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin, comprising heat stripping a polyorganosiloxane-containing resin in a slurry state to obtain a polyorganosiloxane containing resin with reduced volatile siloxane.

2. (original): The process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin according to claim 1, wherein the polyorganosiloxane-containing resin in a slurry state is obtained by coagulating polyorganosiloxane-containing resin in a latex state.

3. (currently amended): The process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin according to claim 1 ~~or 2~~, wherein the polyorganosiloxane-containing resin is a polyorganosiloxane-based graft copolymer obtained by polymerizing monofunctional and/or multifunctional radical polymerizable monomers in one or more steps in the presence of polyorganosiloxane-based particles.

4. (currently amended): The process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 3~~claim 1, which comprises heat stripping at 100°C or more.

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5. (currently amended): The process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 4~~claim 1, which involves feeding water vapor to the slurry.

6. (currently amended): The process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 5~~claim 1, wherein the volatile siloxane is separated by cooling volatile siloxane-containing distillate components.

7. (original): The process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin according to claim 6, wherein the volatile siloxane is separated by cooling volatile siloxane-containing distillate components to 17°C or less.

8. (original): The process for producing polyorganosiloxane-containing resin according to claim 7, wherein the volatile siloxane upon separation is separated as solid.

9. (currently amended): Polyorganosiloxane-containing resin with reduced volatile siloxane, which is produced by the process described in ~~any one of claims 1 to 5~~claim 1.

10. (original): A flame-retardant comprising the polyorganosiloxane-containing resin described in claim 9.

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11. (original): A resin composition comprising the polyorganosiloxane-containing resin described in claim 9 and at least one resin selected from thermoplastic resin, thermosetting resin and elastomer.